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Damube Delta Area

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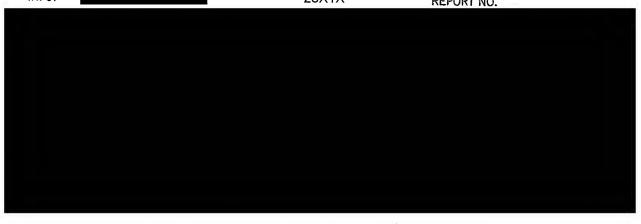
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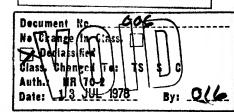
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- A large number of Studebaker trucks, equipped with Katyusha rocket launchers, have been concentrated by the Soviet authorities in the vicinity of Ostrov, in the Danube delta area,
- 2. According to a Rumanian Army colonel on active duty, more than one thousand five hundred trucks equipped with rocket launchers have been assembled in the area.
- 3. A Rumanian who was hunting in the vicinity of Ostrov accidently came upon the truck park. He was immediately arrested by the Soviet sentries and turned over to the Rumanian State Security for an interrogation that lasted three days. This individual estimated that there were 2,000 trucks in the area, most of which had been equipped with rocket launchers.

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